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Applicant : DIRK SELDESLACHTS Docket No.: 98-227  
Serial No.: 09/051,565 Examiner : C. SHERRER  
Filed : June 8, 1998 Art Unit : 1761  
For : DEVICE FOR REMOVING UNWANTED VOLATILE  
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the office action mailed June 19, 2000,  
setting a three (3) month shortened statutory period for  
response which expired on September 19, 2000 and which has  
been extended for three (3) additional months to December  
19, 2000, amend the above captioned application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel claims 49, 51, and 52 without prejudice.

Amend claims 48, 50, and 56 as follows:

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